



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q63468

Masao YOSHIDA

Appln. No.: 09/817,235

Group Art Unit: 2875

Confirmation No.: 8081

Examiner: PAYNE, SHARON E.

Filed: March 27, 2001

For: **BUTTON FOR AN ELECTRIC DEVICE AND METHOD OF CONTROLLING
LIGHTING OF THE BUTTON**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Final Office Action dated April 29, 2003 to October 29, 2003. A Petition for a two month extension was filed with the Amendment on September 24, 2003.

A check for the statutory fee of \$540.00 (which is the difference between a two month and three month extension) is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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